



Wanted poster on Susan Saxe and Katharino Power

Women radicals the FBI wanted list grows

The wanted poster distributed by the Federal Bureau of Investigation reads: "Caution ... both may be armed and should be considered very dangerous."

This description is not on your normal hardened criminal. It covers two 24-year-old women, self-styled revolutionaries, who have made the FBI's list of "Ten Most Wanted Fugitives."

They are among a growing number of such women involved in violence.

The latest to surface are the three gun-toting women charged in the terrorist Symbionese Liberation Army's robbery of a San Francisco bank.

This is the group which abducted newspaper heiress Patricia Hearst. Authorities are now looking into the possibility that Miss Hearst has actually joined the SLA and was involved in the bank-robbery, too.

The three women suspects in the

Hall, 29, a graduate of the University of Minnesota and a former social worker; Nancy Ling Persy, 26, a former student and dancer, and Patricia Michelle Soltysik, 24, known as a prison reformer and militant feminist.

But as far as is known; the SLA women still have far to go to match the record of two forerunners, Susan Edith Saxe and Katherine Ann

the two "most wanted" fugitives.

The former students at Brandels
University have been sought since 1970

in connection with a series of crimes, including the murder of a Bos ton policeman.

They were reputed members of a radical, revolutionary group desilected to attacking the U.S. military system and undernithing police powers.
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KATHERINE ANN POWER aka Helen - FUGITIVE IO #4402; WF #462 TOP TEN FUGITIVE; SUSAN EDITH SAXE aka Susie - FUGITIVE IO #4403; WF #463 TOP TEN FUGITIVE;

BR; UFAP-MURDER; NEW LEFT MOVEMENT - VIOLATION; TGP; DGP; SABOTAGE; ESPIONAGE; ITSMV; DAMV; CAA;

00: BOSTON (BS 91-4219)

Re Bureau airtel to Albany dated 5/10/74.

Attached is a copy of a news release dated 10/17/70.

The Bureau has conducted an extensive review of investigative efforts conducted to date in connection with captioned matter. Although considerable investigative effort has been expended by Boston and numerous offices in this matter, no positive information has been developed concerning subjects' whereabouts since the latter part of 1970.

Both SAXE and POWER are described as extremely intelligent and indicated shortly before they became fugitives, they were prepared to go underground in the event they were sought by law enforcement authorities. There were indications

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these subjects considered the use of the aliases, JOANNA HISS and DEBBIE KAPLAN; however, no information has ever been developed to show they adopted these false identities.

In reviewing their backgrounds, SAXE and POWER showed a strong interest in women's liberation organizations during their attendance at Brande's University as reported by school associates. In addition, a letter was published in a women's underground newspaper known as "The Rat", New York City, in the latter part of October, 1970, in which SAXE and POWER claimed they had gone underground and were receiving support in connection with their "revolutionary" activities. Further, information was developed that both subjects showed an interest in Students for a Democratic Society and the Black Panther Party prior to their involvement in criminal activities.

Attached and made a part hereof is a copy of a News Release dated 10/17/70, which sets forth the descriptions and background information concerning SAXE and POWER.

All Agents are requested to re-alert their informants concerning captioned subjects, particularly those informants having contacts with radical elements.

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October 17, 1970 KATHERINE ANN POWER

SUSAN EDITH SAXE

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Federal warrants issued at Boston, charge Saxe and Power with unlawfulnterstate flight to avoid prosecution for murder and with theft of Government property from a National Guard Armory at Newburyport, Massachusetts. Also, Federal warraitissued at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, charge them with participation in the \$6,240 September 1, 1970, armed robbery of a Philadelphia bank during which one of the robb reportedly attempted to ignite a "Molotov cooktail."

Saxe graduated magna cum laude from Brandeis University in June, 197 and Power was a senior there this year. Both reportedly belonged, along with the three male bank robbery suspects, since apprehended, to a small, revolutionary-type organization which, in addition to attacking military and police forces, reportedly advocated violent attacks against established society and robberies to further their aims and proving a stability of the policy of t

Both white Americans, Saxe, born on Juanuary 18, 1949, at Hartford, Connecticut, is 5'4" to 5'5" tall, weighs 160 pounds, has brown hair, hazel eyes, a medium complexion, and a heavy build. She may wear contact lenses. Power, born at Denver, Colorado, on January 25, 1949, is 5' tall, weighs from 145 to 150 pounds, ha hazel eyes, light brown hair which may be dyed black, a medium complexion, and a stocky build. She has a pockmark on her left cheek, an appendectomy scar and a large scar on her abdomen.

Consider both Saxe and Power armed and very dangerous. Report 200 information concerning them to the nearest FBI Office.



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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

SUSAN EDITH SAXE, also known as Lenora Jordan Paley KATHERINE ANN POWER, also known as Maureen Sheila Kelly

FUGITIVES

INTERSTATE FLIGHT - MURDER; THEFT OF GOVERNMENT PROPERTY; BANK ROBBERY

"TEN MOST WANTED FUGITIVES" PROGRAM

The Federal Bureau of Investigation has recently confirmed that Susan Edith Saxe and Katherine Ann Power, both of whom are currently on the FBI's list of "Ten Most Wanted Fugitives," lived and worked in Lexington, Kentucky, for several months in 1974.

Employing a variety of investigative techniques which included handwriting analysis, latent fingerprint comparisons, and photographic identifications, the FBI established that Saxe, using variations of the alias, Lenora Jordan Paley, and Power, using variations of the alias, Maureen Sheila Kelly, successfully utilized their assumed identities to obtain residence and employment in Lexington, Kentucky, until their departure sometime in late September or early October, 1974.

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Saxe and Power, who have reportedly held a variety of jobs, were most recently known to be employed in Lexington, Kentucky. Power worked as a telephone receptionist and Saxe was employed by a health food restaurant. With respect to their employment, Saxe used Social Security Account Number 040-58-8911 and Power, Social Security Account Number 003-46-5275. Power listed her date of birth as February 8, 1950.

Saxe and Power, both former students at Brandeis
University, Waltham, Massachusetts, are being sought by the
FBI for unlawful interstate flight to avoid prosecution for
the crimes of murder, theft of Government property, and bank
robbery.

The female duo, reputedly espousing the cause of an obscure revolutionary group which advocated attacks on the military establishment and police community, allegedly joined forces with three male parolees from Massachusetts to rob the State Street Bank and Trust Company, Boston, Massachusetts, on September 23, 1970. Having successfully seized over \$26,000 in loot, the fleeing band of robbers was confronted by a Boston, Massachusetts, police officer, who responded to the crime scene. A hail of sub-machinegun fire, which savagely cut down and killed the officer, terminated the encounter. On September 24, 1970, Federal warrants were issued at Boston, Massachusetts, charging both Saxe and Power with unlawful interstate flight to avoid prosecution Their accomplices in these crimes were subsequently for murder. apprehended.

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Pennsylvania, on October 1, 1970, charged Saxe and Power for
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where over \$6,000 in loot was taken at gun point.

Saxe, a white female American who was born on January 18, 1949, at Hartford, Connecticut, is 5'4" to 5'5" tall, weighs 160 pounds, has brown hair, hazel eyes, medium complexion, and a heavy build. She may be wearing contact lenses.

Power, a white female American who was born in Denver, Colorado, on January 25, 1949, is 5' tall, weighs from 145 to 150 pounds, has hazel eyes, light brown hair which was recently described as "dirty blonde" and worn short, a medium complexion, and a stocky build. She has a pockmark on her left cheek, an appendectomy scar, and a large scar on her abdomen. Both Saxe and Power have been recently described as having lost considerable weight, perhaps as much as 20 pounds.

Both should be considered armed and dangerous.

Anyone with any information concerning either of these fugitives, who may be traveling together, should promptly contact the nearest FBI office, the telephone number of which may be found on the first page of most local telephone directories.

FB1 steps up search for 2 fugitive women

WASHINGTON (UPI)—The women after verifying

17, 1970. Ing fingerprints and making Saxe and Power, alleged photographic identifications members of a revolutionary group that advocated attacks. Jordan Paley and Power of on police and military establishments, are wanted in connection with a Boston bank robbery in which a policeman, was killed in sub-machine gun fire and a savings and loan holdup in Philadelphia. The FBI said both should be considered armed and planger-

wanted posters on the two ous.

WASHINGTON (UPI)—The women after venifying that FBI has intensified its search for two women on its list of 10 most wanted fugitives after learning they held jobs last year in Kentucky.

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MOST WANTED FUGITIVES WAS ARRESTED THIS EVENING ACCORDING TO

AN ANNOUNCEMENT BY FBI DIRECTOR CALRENCE M. KELLEY.

MR. KELLEY SEATED THAT SAXE WAS ARRESTED BY A PHILADELPHIA POLICE OFFICER IN THE VICINITY OF 12TH AND CHESTNUT
STREETS, PHILADELPHIA. ACCORDING TO THE POLICE OFFICER, SAXE
WAS RECOGNIZED ON THE BASIS OF PHOTOGRAPHS AND DESCRIPTIVE
MATERIAL REISSUED TODAY BY THE FBI. SAXE, WHO POSSESSED IDENTIFICATION ALLEDGING TO BE AILENE A. HELLMAN, WAS POSITIVELY
IDENTIFIED THROUGH FINGERPRINTS BY FBI AGENTS.

THE FBI DIRECTOR ADDED THAT SAXE AND KATHERINE ANN POWER WHO IS STILL BEING SOUGHT BY THE FBI WERE CHARGED WITH UNLAWFUL INTERSTATE FLIGHT TO AVOID PROSECUTION FOR THE MURDER OF A BOSTON POLICE OFFICER WHO WAS SHOT TO DEATH FOLLOWING THE ROBBERY OF THE STATE STREET BANK AND TRUST CO., BOSTON, ON 9/23/70. SAXE, POWER, AND THREE MEN WHO WERE SUBSEQUENTLY APPREHENDED ALLEGEDLY PARTICIPATED IN THIS HOLD-UP.

ACCORDING TO MR. KELLEY SAXE AND POWER WERE ADDITIONALLY CHARGED WITH THEFT OF GOVERNMENT PROPERTY FROM A NATIONAL GUARD ARMORY AT NEWBURYPORT, MASS. ON 9/27/VO AND WITH BANK ROBBERY FOR THEIR ALLEGED PARTICIPATION IN THE ARMED ROBBERY OF THE BELL FEDERAL SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOC., PHILA. ON 9/1/70. FEDERAL WARRANTS FOR THEIR ARREST WERE ISSUED AT BOSTON ON 9/24625/70 AND AT PHILA. ON 10/1/70.

SAXE IS A WHITE AMERICAN WHO WAS BORN AT HARTFORD, CONN. ON 1/10/49. SHE WILL BE ARRAINGED BEFORE A COMMITTING MAGISTRATE AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

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Saxe arrest latest of several

By DAVE GOLDBERG

For five years, they seemed almost imune from capture, those 1960s New Left radicals who often seemed so proud of making their way onto the FBI's 10 Most Wanted list. But part of the facade is cracking.

In the latst in a series of such arrests, FBI agents Thursday night picked up Susan Edith Saxe, wanted since 1970 on charges of interstate flight to avoid prosecution for the murder of a Boston police officer shot following a bank robbery.

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For a long time, the only O Cameron D. Bishop, the been Karleton L. Armstrong, placed on the 10 Most Wanted one of four men sought in a List was arrested March 12 in fatal bombing at the Universal Creenwich, R. I., in a

from photographs and a description that had been reissued Thursday by the FBI. these developments:

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Susan Edith Saxe, one of the FBI's most wanted fugitives, was captured by FBI agents
Thursday night in Philadelphia. Miss Saxe, Katherine Power and three men were sought. three men were sought by the FBI in the Sept. 23, 1970, holdup of a Boston bank, in which a police officer was

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—Associated Press Wirephoto. Susan Edith Saxe . . . on FBI's "10 Most Wanted List" when captured.

PHILADELPHIA (UPI)-Susan Edith Saxe, former Brandeis University honor student who was on the FBI's "10 Most Wanted List," Monday pleaded inno-cent to federal bank robbery charges.

Ms. Saxe, 26, pleaded to five counts stemming from the \$6,240 holdup Sept. 1, 1970 of the Bell Federal Savings and Loan Associa-

U.S. Magistrate Fullio G. pre-trial motions and trial date before U.S. Dist. Court

Judge Alfred E. Luongo for May 12.

Leomporta, continued the \$350,000 ball set for Ms. Saxe after she was arrested 11 days ago on a downtown street by patrolman Joseph Reid who recognized her from a new FBI photograph he carried in his pocket.

Ms: Saxe of Albany,
N.Y., also is one of five
persons changed with the
Sept 23 1970 holder of the
State Street Frust Co. in

Boston in which a policeman was killed. She is expected to be tried on those charges after the trial here Ms. Saxe appeared calm

and smiled as she chatted with several of the 100 or so spectators permitted in the courtroom after they were screened by marshals with metal detectors,

Leomporra set the deadline for pre-tigal motions after Ms. Catherine Rora-back, of New Haven, Conn. said she had been retained as Ms. Saxe's attorney and needed time.

indictment which charges Ms. Saxe with conspiracy, robbery and aiding and abetting alleges that Stanley R. Bond entered the bank while Ms. Saxe stood outside trying to light a Molotov cocktail.

The indictment said Katherine Powers, a fellow student, radical, was at the wheel of a getaway car.

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Saxe tria witness on loose

PHILADELPHIA (UPI) The government had a prob-lem today at the start of the bank robbery trial of self-styled radical Susan E. Saxe — its star witness was missing.

The witness, Robert Valeri, 26, of Somverville, Mass.; escaped from the Chester County Prison in West Chester, Pa., last Wednesday.

Ms. Saxe, 26, of Albany, N. X., on the FBI's 10 most wanted list for nearly five. Years, was facing trial on charges lodg d in comection with a \$6,240 robbery of a Philadelphia bank Sept. 1,

She also is accused, along with Valeri, of a \$26,000 brobbery of a Boston bank in which a policeman was slain

in 1970. Valeri, who already has pleaded guilt; was serving a pieaded guilti, was serving a sentence for a Chicago bank robbery when he was brought to Pennsylvania for the trial.

The prosecution, would not a say what effect Valeri's escape would have on the trial.

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engineered the robbery of a Bell Sayings and Loan Association office here. The accomplices, indicated in 1971, are Stanley R. Bond, 26, of Cam-bridge, Mass., and Katherine Ann Power, 26, of Denver. Bond, convicted of the holdup, accidentally blew him-self up making a bomb in Walpole, Mass., State Prison in

Ms. Power, also on the His. Flower, also on the FBI's 10 most wanted list, is being sought in connection with the Boston holdup.

Mis. Saxe was arrested on a Finladelphia street March 27. (indicate page, name of newspaper, city and state.) The Dallas Times Herald" Dallas,

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PHILADELPHIA (UPI). A defiant revolutionary Susan E. Saxe pledging to becoming "even more radical,'', entered a surprise plea of guilty Monday to federal bank robbery charges in exchange for a

10-year prison sentence.

Ms. Saxe, 26, a former
Brandeis University honor
student who was on the FBI's 10 Most Wanted List for five years, said the plea bargaining guaranteed her continued silence to protect any co-conspirators

In a statement read in court after she entered the surprise plea shortly before the start of her trial in federal court, Ms. Saxe, of Albany, N.Y., said it was based "on the government's understanding that I will give them nothing ever, not in 20 years, not≈in 100.°

"I AM NOT and never will be a collaborator," Ms. Saxe said. The lenghty statement she made was later distributed to reporters by a friend, Bryna Aronson, 25.

The 10-year prison sentence is for a Sept. 1, 1970 in Walpole, Mass., state holdup in which \$6,240 was prison in 1973.

taken from the Bell Savings Miss Power, also on the and Loan-Association here. FBPs 10 Most Wanted List.

Under the agreement Miss is still a fugitive.

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The plea bargaining also alled for the government. to drop any prosecutions against Ms. Saxe in connection with any involvement in bank-robberies in Evan:ton, Ill., and Beverly Hills, Calif., in 1970.

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Susan Saxe talks to reporters outside the federal courthouse in Philadelphia after pleading guilty to bank robbery charges. Ms. Saxe

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salid the bargain by which she entered the guilty plea guarantees her continued silence to protect other co-conspirators.

WHINESSES ALLEGE Ms. Saxe remained outside hold-ing a gasoline bomb while Stanley Bond, of Cambridge, Mass., robbed the bank. Bond, who was convicted in the holdup, was killed in prison while attempting to make a bomb.

The Boston robbery occurred 25 days later. Patrol-man Francis Schroeder, the father) of nine children; was shot in the getaway. Bond, William Gilday, 45, of Wor-chester, Mass., and Robert Valeri, 26. Somerville, Mass.,

PHILADELIPHIA, Penn, (AP) — Susan Edith Saxe, a 26-year-old antiwar revolutionary accused of murdering a Boston policeman, goes on trial in federal court Monday on charges of participating in a 1970 Philadelphia bank holdup.

The policeman was killed during a second 1970 bank robbery, and Massachusetts officials say she'll probably stand trial for that later this year.

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WITNESSES ALLEGEMS.

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an Oklahoma jail in April and lodged in a nearby Chester County prison farmunder a false name, walked away last Wednesday.

The escape may have dealt a serious blow to the government case — an FBI spokesman said "this certainly reduces the chance for conviction" — but prosecutors, said there would be no effort to seek postponement of the trial.

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KATHERINE ANN POWER

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Katherine Ann Power, who was placed on the FBI's list of "Ten Most Wanted Fugitives" following her 1970 rampage of crime and violence and who was reported to have worked and resided in Lexington, Kentucky, as recently as October, 1974, is being sought by the FBI.

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